

Applicant: Stephen D. HSU, et al. Docket No. 055071-0267 Serial No. 10/626,858

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☐ Preliminary Amendment ☐ Terminal Disclaimer

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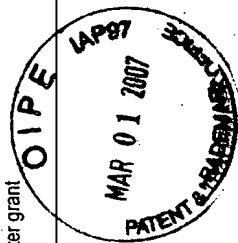
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277  
Stephen D. HSU, et al. : Confirmation Number: 9799  
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For: ORIENTATION DEPENDENT SHIELDING FOR USE WITH DIPOLE ILLUMINATION  
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**REQUEST FOR ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF THE CITED ART**

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Sir:

Applicants are in receipt of the Notice of Allowance dated January 11, 2007.

In reviewing the file, it is noted that we have not received acknowledgement of the Information Disclosure Statement and cited art filed March 1, 2007. Enclosed are copies of the Information Disclosure Statement, PTO-1449 and stamped return postcard acknowledgement.

Applicants hereby respectfully request that:

- (1) the appropriately acknowledged PTO-1449 be furnished to Applicants; and
- (2) the record be clarified to confirm that the cited art has been considered and made of record.

Respectfully submitted,  
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